





Attorney Docket No. FA/220A

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Haimerl et al.

Serial No.: 09/830,814

Filed: April 27, 2001

For: Footwear Having a Sealed Shoe Con-

struction and a Method for the Production

Thereof

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, DC 20231 **Group Art Unit:**

Examiner:

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for two (2) months, to and including September 12th, be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) in order to extend the period for response to the Notice of Missing Requirements of June 12, 2001.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 07-1729 for the required fee, and for any additional charges that may be incurred.

Respectfully submitted,

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